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**U.S. Representative**

***John Spratt***

South Carolina # 5th District

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## **News Release**

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### **5<sup>th</sup> District Airports Win Federal Grants**

**WASHINGTON — U.S. Rep. John Spratt (D-SC) announced today that six airports in his 5<sup>th</sup> Congressional District have won grants from the FAA's airport improvement program.**

"These grants are a good example of how the federal government helps our communities," said Spratt. "I am delighted to make this announcement, and I know the money will be put to good use."

Spratt said the following airports will be receiving grants:

- < **Bennettsville** — H.E. Avent Field: \$150,000 for grading and drainage improvements to Runway 6/24, and for repairing the apron.
- < **Camden** — Woodward Field: \$150,000 for weather reporting equipment, and repairing the pavement on the apron and taxiways.
- < **Hartsville** — Hartsville Regional: \$643,500 for partial construction of a parallel taxiway with connector taxiways, and for repairing the apron..
- < **Lancaster** — MC Whirter Field: \$132,292 to acquire 142 acres of land in the approach to Runway 24.
- < **Rock Hill** — Bryant Field: \$150,000 for installing lighting and improving drainage and pavement on Taxiway J.
- < **Winnsboro** — Fairfield County Airport: \$110,000 for weather reporting equipment.

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